

P R O C L A M A T I O N

Frances E. Willard

The name of Frances E. Willard stands for a cause not bounded by state or country but one that appeals to the human interest of the civilized world. As a vigorous crusader in the fields of Christianity, education, temperance and reform for the general welfare she probably was unequalled. Miss Willard was a woman of genius, developed by culture, animated by the purest and loftiest motives and ideals. On the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Frances E. Willard, September 28, 1939, it is fitting that we pause to give thought to the principles and ideals advanced by this splendid character.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harlan J. Bushfield, Governor of South Dakota, hereby proclaim the week of September 24 to 30 as Frances E. Willard Week and urge all educational and religious bodies, together with the citizens, to inaugurate special programs in memory of this great woman.

DONE AT THE CAPITOL, in the City of Pierre, this 14th day of September, 1939.

Governor

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

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